WEEKLY REPORT

Week of June 22, 2026

Upcoming

Raymore City Ordinance on fireworks: Fireworks are allowed to be discharged in Raymore between 10 a.m. and 10 p.m. from July 1-3, and from 10 a.m. to midnight Saturday, July 4, 2026.

Fireworks are not allowed to be shot in public streets, sidewalks or parks without prior City Council approval. Bottle rockets, Roman candles and aerial luminaries are not allowed to be sold or used at any time.

Raymore Police will respond to calls reporting illegal fireworks as resources allow. Please be aware that calls involving immediate threats to life, such as medical emergencies, traffic accidents and DUI incidents will take priority. We appreciate your patience and understanding as our officers work to keep the entire community safe. The Raymore Police non-emergency phone number is 816-331-0530. Always call 911 in an emergency.

An All-American 250 is in full swing in Raymore! Learn more at www.raymore.com/250

Scavenger Hunt, through July 7. Discover Raymore a little more in depth with our scavenger hunt! Click here to download a copy of the clues to complete the hunt and win a Raymore 250 picnic blanket or cooler tote while supplies last.

Rock the Ridge, 4-9 p.m., Friday, June 26, Hawk Ridge Park Amphitheater. In partnership with the Raymore Chamber of Commerce, enjoy a kids bubble zone, live music from The Yachties and goods and food from craft and Chamber vendors! Click here for more information.

The first phase of 58 Highway improvements from Dean Avenue to Johnston Parkway starts the week of July 6. Traffic control signage will be set up Monday, July 6, with spot curb and sidewalk work starting Tuesday, July 7, from Westgate Drive to Johnston Parkway. Work will start at 9 a.m. daily, with rolling traffic control in place where crews will be working. There will likely be afternoon and evening rush hour impacts. Once curb and sidewalk work is completed, the mill and overlay

will follow in August. Please use extra caution around workers and equipment and slow down in work zones. Updates will be shared on our website here.

Raymore 2.50 Fun Run, 7 p.m., Thursday, July 2, at Johnny's Tavern, 716 W. Foxwood Dr. This free run for fun starts at Johnny's Tavern, takes you through Hawk Ridge Park and ends at Johnny's Tavern. The first 100 people to sign up on site on race day get a commemorative T-shirt and medal, while supplies last! Click here to learn more.

Spirit of America & Matchday Watch Party, 7 p.m., Friday, July 3, at Recreation Park, 1011 S. Madison St. Join us for live music from Walker Mathison's Ranahan Duo, inflatables, food, soccer match watch party, fireworks and more! Click here to learn more.

As American as Apple Pie Parade, 10:30 a.m., Saturday, July 4, Raymore's Original Town (Memorial Park to T.B. Hanna Station and back). Parade theme: Think classic Americana–small-town USA, the nostalgic summer movie *The Sandlot*, vintage muscle cars, convertibles and tractors, baseball, hot dogs and apple pie! Let's celebrate a time when life moved a little slower–a time when children pedaled bikes until the streetlights came on and dragged their little red wagons down the sidewalks, and when everyone on the block knew your name. Click here to learn more.

Raymore Farmers Market, 4-7 p.m., every Tuesday through Sept., T.B. Hanna Station. Enjoy shopping local vendors selling sourdough, produce, crafts and more.

Summer Blood Drive with Community Blood Center, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Wednesday, July 8, at Centerview, 227 Municipal Cir. Blood has a short shelf life and must be constantly replenished to ensure it's available when needed to support trauma victims, cancer patients, surgery patients, new mothers, premature infants and more. Nearly 600 units of blood are needed in KC metro hospitals every single day. You could save up to three lives with a blood donation and all it takes is an hour of your time! Click here to learn more and make your appointment.

Sounds of South Kansas City Community Band, 7 p.m., Thursday, July 9, at Centerview. The local 70+ piece band returns for their final summer concert in Raymore with a tribute to America's 250th and out veterans. Seating is limited and fills up quickly. Arrive early to grab a seat at this free concert sponsored by the Raymore Arts Commission.

Raymore Reggae Jam, 7-10 p.m., Friday, July 10, at the Hawk Ridge Park Amphitheater with 77 Jefferson, SkillinJah, Riddim Doctor and House of Dub. Join the Raymore Arts Commission for another Friday night concert at the park! Parking is

encouraged at the lot on N. Sunset Lane. The Iceré will serve up cold treats, or you can bring your own refreshments. Remember to bring a chair or blanket! Motorized vehicles such as golf carts are NOT allowed on park trails or in the park.

City Clerk

- Click here for the agenda for the City Council work session on June 29.

Development Services

- The Board of Zoning Adjustment met on Wednesday, June 24, and approved a variance application for Case No. 26006 - a request for a detached garage structure to partially encroach into the front yard setback area for the property located at 606 Meadow Ct.
- Development Services Director David Gress and Economic Development Director Jordan Lea assisted with the Rock the Ridge event, hosted by the Raymore Chamber of Commerce and Raymore Parks & Recreation.

Economic Development

- Economic Development Director Jordan Lea presented on economic development to the local government class at Missouri Girls State and Missouri Boys State.
- Economic Development Director Jordan Lea participated in group judging for the International Economic Development Council's excellence award program.
- Economic Development Director Jordan Lea attended the University of Missouri-Extension's child care community development bootcamp.
- Economic Development Director Jordan Lea attended the Workforce YOU housing focus group meeting.
- Economic Development Director Jordan Lea attended the Raymore-Peculiar School District's Summer School Student Showcase.

Emergency Management

- Emergency Management Director Tim Baldwin completed a community water systems risk and resilience assessment as requested by the Environmental Protection Agency.

- Emergency Management Director Tim Baldwin attended a supervisors meeting with Police and Dispatch staff.
- Emergency Management Director Tim Baldwin submitted registration to attend the 2026 International Association of Emergency Managers Conference, to be held in November in Long Beach, California.

Parks & Recreation

- Parks & Recreation staff prepared for the Bricks and Block Party held at T.B. Hanna Station on June 25.
- Parks and Recreation Director Nathan Musteen, Parks Superintendent Steve Rulo, Recreation, Facilities Superintendent Todd Brennon and Athletic Coordinator Nick Cook met with Martin Mechanical to discuss HVAC units.
- Raymore Parks & Recreation hosted 30 youth baseball, softball and tee ball games this week at Recreation Park and Memorial Park.
- Recreation Coordinator Cecilia Walther met with Texas Roadhouse to discuss future partnerships.
- Park maintenance set up parking lots at Hawk Ridge Park for the Rock the Ridge event on Friday, June 26 from 4-9 p.m.
- Park maintenance replaced the chlorine barrel at the sprayground.
- The Parks and Recreation Board met on Tuesday, June 23, at Centerview in a work session. Main topics included the FY27 Budget and Capital Projects, the trail replacement projects underway and a presentation from the Raymore Mountain Bike Club for improvements to the Ridge Trails at Hawk Ridge Park.
- Parks and Recreation Director Nathan Musteen participated in the interviews for on-call engineering services.

Police

- Staff continued field training in dispatch.
- Staff continued field training for the five new officers.
- Staff met with and had assistance from Warrensburg PD for an evidence room audit.
- Chief Jim Wilson met with members of the Ray-Pec School Distric for a discussion on radio communications in the school buildings. This conversation was in regards to bi-directional amplifier use (DBA).

Public Works
Engineering

- City staff prepared the FY 2027 Capital Improvement Projects for Public Works.
- City staff held interviews for on-call engineering services.
- The curb and ramp replacement program is ongoing for Meadowlark Drive.

Operations and Maintenance

- 10 City Hall Work Orders
- 173 Locates
- 13 Completed Service Requests
- 9 Driveway Inspections
- 8 Sidewalk Inspections
- 5 Curb Inspections
- 3 Water Inspections
- 3 Water Taps
- 3 Final ROW Inspections
- 1 Water Meter Replaced
- 3 New Meter Activations

Road Maintenance:

- Patched 32 potholes city wide.
- Completed 2 asphalt patches on Creedside Court utilizing 20 tons of asphalt.
- Completed an asphalt milling job on Brunswick Lane utilizing 3 tons of asphalt.
- Completed 35 ft of curb patching on Evans Avenue, Lasley Branch Court, Sunflower Drive and Cove Drive.
- Completed 32 ft of mudjacking on N. Highland Drive.
- Completed 35 ft of mudjacking on Horseshoe Drive.
- Serviced the street sweeper in preparation for post 4th of July street sweeping.
- Mowed the Recreation Park ditch along S. Madison Street in preparation of the 4th of July fireworks event.
- Mowed the Recreation Park pond overflow ditch in preparation of the 4th of July fireworks event.
- Mowed the dam at Hawk Ridge Park in preparation of upcoming 4th of July events.
- Picked up new paint striping stencils.
- Picked up cracksealing material.
- Continued with the roadside mowing program.
- Performed routine mowing at the Police Department Firing Range.
- Routine mowing at all water/sewer stations was completed.
- Performed routine right-of-way mowing.
- Acquired parts and materials from vendors.
- Completed routine facility maintenance.
- Performed regular vehicle and equipment maintenance.

Water and Sewer Services:

- Completed 21 in-field lead service line inspections.
- CCTV'd 200 ft of storm pipe on Raven Street
- CCTV'd 380 ft of sewer main in Cunningham 3rd for pre-acceptance.
- Replaced meter pit at 1212 Granada Dr.
- Maintenanced and flushed 117 fire hydrants city wide.
- Completed monthly water disconnections and restores for non-payment of utility bills.
- Replaced 2 water meter lids.
- Took the vactor to Key Equipment for repairs.
- Replaced a water meter at 1021 S. Madison St.
- Repaired a manhole at 58 Hwy./J Hwy.
- Routine fleet maintenance was performed.
- Cleaned the Basket at Owen Good.
- Line locate training continued.
- Completed meter activations for new meter installations.
- Completed daily station reading and inspections.
- Completed routine water and sewer customer service requests.
- Continued with in-home lead service line inspections.
- Continued with in-field LSLI (lead service line inventory) for Missouri Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Agency.
- Customer service and customer service training continued.

Training and Administration:

- Continued working on CIP Projects for the FY 2027 budget.
- Contractor Solutions hosted a Trenching and Shoring Safety Training for all Public Works employees.
- Completed the MDNR water quality monthly report.
- Continued to collect and record completed backflow prevention tests for the city wide backflow program.
- Continued entering lead service line inventory reporting into the database.